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18 June 1963

TO: Mr. Earl Radley
Bureau of the Budget
Washington 25, D.C.

FROM: John S. Warner

Legislative Counsel

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Telephone:

Attached is a copy of our proposed reply to Representative Aspinall's request for a report on H.R. 6612, which I discussed with you on the telephone yesterday. Clearance is requested.

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Assistant Legislative Counsel

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Mr. John A. McCone Director Central Intelligence Agency Washington, 25, D.C.

Dear Mr. McCone:

Attached hereto is a copy of:

H.R. 6612 (Hosmer)

Will you kindly furnish the Committee a report on this legislation as soon as it is possible to do so. It will be appreciated if you can furnish forty copies of your report.

Sincerely yours

WAYNE N. ASPINAL

Chairman



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WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

Office Of the DIRECTOR
19 February 1963

Honorable Wayne N. Aspinall Chairman, Committee on Interior and Insular Affairs House of Representatives Washington 25, D. C.

Dear Mr. Aspinall:

This is in reply to your letter of 25 January 1963 requesting this Agency's views on H. R. 620, a bill to provide for continuity and support of study, research, and development of programs for peaceful uses in science, commerce, and other activities related to Antarctica.

As we have indicated in reports on similar bills introduced in previous Congresses, the polar regions are of great interest to the intelligence community and considerable attention has been given to the problem of how the United States Government should conduct its activities in these areas, particularly Antarctica. However, since these proposals involve issues which are not directly within the purview of this Agency, I feel that specific comment on them by this Agency would not be appropriate.

The Bureau of the Budget has advised that it has no objection to the submission of this report from the standpoint of the Administration's program.

Sincerely,

John A. McCone

Director

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